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AMAZING THINGS ARTS CENTER OF FRAMINGHAM NAMED A FINALIST IN BOSTON UNCOMMON, PRESENTED BY CAPITAL ONE

VOTING TAKES PLACE THROUGH MARCH 21 IN BOSTON.COM READER-PARTICIPATION AWARDS CONTEST THAT AIMS TO FIND WHAT'S UNCOMMONLY BEST ABOUT BOSTON

BOSTON (March 1, 2016) – Framingham: AMAZING THINGS ARTS CENTER was named a finalist in BOSTON UNCOMMON, presented by Capital One, a <u>Boston.com</u> reader-participation awards program that will uncover the area's favorites in nightlife, art & culture, restaurants and innovation. Amazing Things is the only Metrowest-based business to be so nominated this year!

Voting takes place through March 21 at <u>Boston.com/Uncommon</u>. There will be 40 BOSTON UNCOMMON awards 20 selected by Boston.com readers and 20 chosen by Boston.com editorial. The result will be an unparalleled guide to our city's best hidden gems, which will appear on Boston.com on Friday, March 25.

Along with voting, readers can register to attend the exclusive BOSTON UNCOMMON winner event on March 24 at Space 57 at The Revere Hotel in Boston, where the recipients of 20 editorial awards will be honored. Music will be provided by RadioBDC and tickets are on sale now at Boston.com/UncommonEvent.

As part of the program, Capital One is sponsoring the award for Uncommon Good, an honor targeted to non-profit organizations, community groups, or grass-roots efforts that are improving the lives of Bostonians in uncommon ways. Users can vote for their choice in this category as well; Capital One will announce the winner on March 24.

To learn more about BOSTON UNCOMMON and vote for finalists, please visit **Boston.com/Uncommon**.

About Amazing Things Arts Center

Amazing Things was founded in 2005, and moved from its initial storefront location to a restored 1900s Firehouse in downtown Framingham in 2008. The Center, which provides live music five-six nights a week as well as three art galleries and several theater presentations annually, believes in *CREATING COMMUNITY THROUGH THE ARTS*. That's what we're all about! The Amazing Things Arts Center brings together a diverse community of artists, arts supporters and arts appreciators of all ages, cultures and interests, through the transformational power of rich and varied art forms that provide a nurturing environment in which to meet, understand and

accept each other.

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